

Minneapolis – We’re Bigger Than You Think

More than a half million people are in Minneapolis everyday to live, work, attend classes or seek medical attention

- 302,000 work in Minneapolis
- 167,000 work in downtown Minneapolis
- More than 100,000 students attend universities, colleges and trade schools in Minneapolis every day
- Minneapolis hospitals treat patients from every county in Minnesota

12 million people a year come to Minneapolis for theater, restaurants, clubs, sports teams, parks and other attractions.

- More than a million visits to our state-of-the-art convention center every year
- 5.8 million visits are made to Minneapolis parks every year
- 2.5 million sports fans attend a professional sporting event in Minneapolis
- Minneapolis boasts more theater seats per capita than any other U.S. city except New York

We look after everyone who lives in or visits Minneapolis

- Minneapolis’ police officers, firefighters and emergency workers are on the job protecting the more than half-million people here every day, and the additional 12 million people who visit throughout the year.
- Minneapolis traffic control agents direct more than a half-million vehicles in downtown Minneapolis every week and ensure that drivers can reach their destination as quickly as is possible in our state’s largest economic center.

More than 380,000 live in Minneapolis

- 18% Black/African American
- 12.3% Asian
- 7.8 % Hispanic or Latino
- 2.2% American Indian or Alaska Native



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